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DEAN E. BERGSTRESSER,

Petitioner,

v.

ROBERT SHANNON, Superintendent,  
etc., et al.,

Respondents.

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CIVIL ACTION NO.

00-CV-1713

(Caldwell, U.S.D.J.;

Smyser, U.S.M.J.)

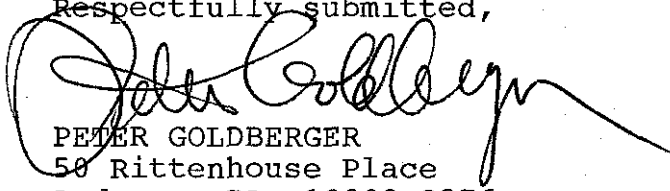
PETITIONER'S SUBMISSION OF VERIFICATION

This petition for habeas corpus was filed by a state prisoner under 28 U.S.C. § 2254. Rule 2(c) of the Federal Rules Governing Section 2254 Cases requires that the petition contain the petitioner's own signature, as do 28 U.S.C. § 2242 and Local Rule 83.32.1. Although the petition was personally approved by the petitioner before filing, counsel were not able to obtain and include a signature page with the petition when filed. Counsel have now received the petitioner's signed Verification, which is attached to the original of this Submission for filing.

Dated: October 18, 2000

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

DEAN E. BERGSTRESSER, :  
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 Petitioner, :  
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 V. : CIVIL ACTION NO.  
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 ROBERT SHANNON, Superintendent, :  
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 SCI Mahanoy; DISTRICT ATTORNEY :  
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 of Potter County; and the ATTORNEY :  
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 GENERAL of Pennsylvania, :  
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 Respondents. :

VERIFICATION

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §§ 1746 and 2242 and Fed.R.Gov. 2254  
Proc. 2(c), Dean E. Bergstresser declares, under penalty of  
perjury, that:

1. I have read the foregoing Petition for Habeas Corpus  
Relief, in which I am the applicant-petitioner.
2. I know that the factual allegations contained in the  
motion are true.
3. With respect to any facts alleged in the motion upon  
information and belief, I believe these factual allegations to  
be true.
4. With respect to (A. Ground One, Supporting FACTS), I  
do not concede to the Superior or Lower Courts adoption of the  
facts viewed in the light most favorable to the Commonwealth.
5. I declare under penalty of perjury that this Verific-  
ation is true and correct.

Dated: 9/25, 2000,  
at Frackville, PA

Dean E. Bergstresser  
DEAN E. BERGSTRESSER